

Dearest Michaelite Ladies,

First of all let me say that I am ridiculously excited to have you attend St. Michael's Conference 2009! If this is your first St. Mikes, let me assure you that you are in for an incredible week. If you are returning, I can not wait to see your beautiful face shining with uncontainable excitement!

This letter is just a heads-up as to the dress requirement. As always the female staff at St. Mike's expects modest dress from the ladies attending the conference. No need to burst a blood vessel. We are not expecting clothing from your chin to your ankles. But we do expect short shorts and skirts as well as low cut or midriff tops and immodest swimwear to be left in your dresser drawers at home. What are short shorts you ask? A good indicator is anything that is shorter than your middle fingertip when your arms are by your side.

At the conference the female staff reserves the right to veto any outfit we deem inappropriate. I know that this may make you wonder if you are about to attend a puritanical conference. I promise that we do this with love. There is a lot to learn in one short week at St. Mike's and we try to eliminate distractions as much as possible. So we ask that you dress in a way that is not distracting to the gentlemen attending.

More importantly, during the week as we delve into what it means to be a Christian woman, we find that modesty is an important aspect of a lady's life especially when she is following in Christ's footsteps. Whether this is something you understand now, will understand by the end of the week or your sixth conference with us, what you need to know now is to leave those daisy dukes at home. I promise it is a small sacrifice for what you will receive in return.

Thank you very much for your understanding and compliance. As I write this I'm a little (ok, very) jittery with excitement for the coming conference, to see my girls and to meet the newbies! I hope you are too. I know for a fact that you should be!

Always at your disposal,

Gina Gallutia

Head Female Counselor, St. Michael's Conference Southwest

P.S ~If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call. My cell phone number is 517-930-4581.